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**APPLICANT** 

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SERIAL NO.

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April 18, 2001

**FOR** 

RELIABLE SYMBOLS AS A MEANS OF IMPROVING

THE PERFORMANCE OF INFORMATION TRANSMISSION

**SYSTEMS** 

**GROUP ART UNIT:** 

2631

EXAMINER

Not assigned

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ATTENTION: REFUND SECTION

## SMALL ENTITY REQUEST FOR REFUND UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.28

SIR:

Applicants claimed Small Entity Status on the patent application transmittal filed April 18, 2001. Applicants *deferred payment of application fee* but Applicants' attorneys' Deposit Account was charged with the full entity fee of \$1048.00.00. Applicants respectfully submit that they are entitled to payment of fees as a small entity; and, therefore, request that a 50% refund in the amount of \$524.00 be credited to Kenyon & Kenyon Deposit Account No. 11-0600.

Respectfully submitted,

**KENYON & KENYON** 

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